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AMENDMENT		Docket No. M1025/7001 (formerly 8493.7001)
Applicant:	Marion Sterner et al.	
Serial No:	09/578,236	
Filed:	May 24, 2000	
For:	METHOD FOR PRODUCING A PLASTIC FILM HAVING IMPROVED CHARACTERISTICS, APPARATUS FOR PERFORMING THE METHOD, AND FILM THUS OBTAINED	
Examiner:	Geoffrey Shippides	
Art Unit:	1732	

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In response to the office communication dated December 1, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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